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PRICE CEILING ON 1946 COTTON SET BY OPA

WASHINGTON.—The OPA, acting to meet legal requirements, has issued formal notice of proposed price ceilings on the 1946 crop of raw cotton.

But the agency said flatly that if the price of cotton becomes stabilized before the harvesting season, "it may not be actually necessary to put the ceilings into effect."

OPA said the advance notice simply puts the agency in a position "legally to impose ceilings if necessary."

For 15-16th inch middling American upland cotton, the basic grade upon which prices for all other grades and staples are based, the proposed growers' ceiling is 24.09 cents a pound for area one, which includes the western parts of North and South Carolina.

OPA said that in general this represents the current parity price, with an allowance for transportation, plus a "cushion" to allow for possible subsequent advances in parity between now and the end of the year, when most of the 1946 crop will be marketed. Premiums are based on actual government-reported differentials.

Under the price control act, OPA is required to give notice of proposed ceilings on agricultural commodities at least 15 days ahead of the normal planting season. The notice, OPA said, has been approved by the Agricultural department.

DAN TYSON ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION HERE

Dan Tyson, City Secretary and Treasurer, announced Tuesday that he will seek re-election to the office and requested publication of his name in the official announcement column of The Herald.

Mr. Tyson has held the office with distinction, his record being one of the best in the history of municipal government. In making his announcement for re-election, Mr. Tyson gratifies the wishes of many throughout the city for they appreciate his devotion to duty and the record he has made in the office.

Mr. Tyson hopes to see as many voters as possible to ask for their support but official duties may not permit an active canvass and he takes this method of asking for your vote.

Always active as a leader in the community, Mr. Tyson has served as War Finance Chairman during the past three War Loans and each time (turn to page twelve)

CHURCHILL AND WIFE ARE NOW IN AMERICA

Winston Churchill, Britain's wartime Prime Minister, and Mrs. Churchill, arrived in America late Monday. They will remain in this country for some time.

Mr. Churchill was a frequent visitor here during the war and in the life time of the late President Roosevelt.

From the London conference of the UNO it was said that Mrs. Roosevelt plans to visit Russia after the conference in the British capital is over.

Albert Anderle transacted business in Cameron Wednesday.

Bank Resources Are High

Bank deposits in Cameron total more than eight and a half million dollars based on December 31st statements of the banks. Of this amount individual deposits total \$4,574,026.85. The following will show totals on principal resources of the banks:

Total Assets	\$9,032,614.10
Total Deposits	8,685,981.59
Individual Deposits	4,574,026.85
Total Loans	1,022,365.34

BUCKHOLTS

Total Assets	\$661,236.39
Individual Deposits	602,367.60
Total Deposits	606,761.37
Total Loans	197,484.41

Walter E. Eickenhorst, Chief Warrant Officer, Hero of "March of Death" from Bataan, Writes Of His Experience As a Prisoner of War of Japs



WALTER E. EICKENHORST
Chief Warrant Officer

Walter E. Eickenhorst, Chief Warrant Officer, United States Army, now at Fitzsimmons General Hospital in Denver, Colorado, has outlined in brief summary, his experiences as a prisoner of war held by the Japs.

Eickenhorst is a hero of the Bataan March of Death, survived and lived through many months of torture in Cabanatuan, later to be evacuated to Japan where he spent many months at forced labor in Japanese copper mines. He was liberated on September 4, 1945 by American forces following the surrender of Japan aboard the battleship Missouri in Tokyo Bay.

Friends here will be glad to know that Eickenhorst has shown great improvement and is gradually fighting back to normal health under the care maintained by the government in the hospital in Denver. A welcome awaits him in Cameron, his native city, where he grew from boyhood to become a football star and to enter the army at Fort Sam Houston as early as 1936 where he was a member of the West Point Prep School.

The story of his suffering and combat service in the Philippines is one of the most heroic in the military annals of the United States. But for his great strength and clean living he could never have survived the hard labor and tortures imposed by the Japs who tried to kill every white man they captured. Eickenhorst fought back with super-human spirit and strength, won and now is still fighting a battle against disease. "The people of America will never know our happiness when V-J Day came along. But for me, the war is not over. I still have a great battle to fight and that is the battle against tuberculosis which I picked up somewhere along the line."

In a letter received by the Publisher Monday, Eickenhorst says:

"I wish to take this opportunity to express my appreciation for your excellent writings in your fine newspaper, The Cameron Herald, during my overseas duty in the Pacific. I also wish to thank you for your copy of January 3rd. I note that the Universal Publishing Company is recording a Service Record Book for Milam county. I would highly appreciate having my picture and historical record entered in this highly treasured Historical Record of the service men and women of Milam county for future reference."

Chief Warrant Officer Eickenhorst graduated at Yoe High School in the class of 1935. He was a member of the Yoemen football team along with Billy Gillis, Leonard Blaylock and Gus Evans, and others. Gillis, who went to Schreiner and then to West Point to captain the Army team (turn to page six)

CHAS. C. SMITH, JR. TO CHINA WITH THE UNRRA

Chas. C. Smith, Jr., in a telegram to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Smith, Sr., in Cameron, told of his departure for the west coast on Tuesday for China.

Mr. Smith, a lawyer, has been in Washington for almost three years and has been named to a place with the United Nations Rehabilitation Relief Association and goes to the China theatre. While in Washington he has been attending the Maryland University and retaining a position with the government.

The trip to the Orient will be made by plane. Mr. Smith left Washington Monday and was on the Pacific Coast making ready for the flight across.

Baptist S. S. Workers Will Meet Here Monday

Next Monday night, January 21, at 7:30 p.m., Rev. Raymond Drews is calling all Sunday School workers of the 25 Baptist churches of Milam county together to map out for their Sunday Schools the most far-reaching and promising church program that has ever been brought before Sunday School workers.

Dr. Lemuel Hall, the District Missionary for Central Texas, will conclude the program with an address entitled, "Go Ye Into Highways and Hedges." The meeting will be in Cameron First Baptist Church. All workers and interested persons are urged to be present.

—C. W. Sanders.

VALTER WHITE RUNS FOR ASSESSOR - COLLECTOR

Valter White, first returning War Veteran in Milam County to announce for office, is a candidate for Tax Assessor and Collector for the county, subject to action of the Democratic Primary to be held on Saturday, July 27, 1946.

Sgt. White, recently discharged from the Army, comes back to his home county and is asking the people to elect him to this important office which he is abundantly qualified to hold. He has partially recovered from injuries sustained while enroute from the State of Washington to Cameron on a recent furlough from duty. A broken leg has partially healed after some weeks in McCloskey Hospital. His discharge indicates his injuries are sufficiently healed to admit him back to civilian life and release from the hospital.

Sgt. White is a former Sheriff of this county, resigning in January 1943 to answer the call of his country. Due to his excellent training and fitness for the position, he was assigned to special duty with the Army (turn to page seven)

W. W. MARKHAM ASKING COMMISSIONER OFFICE

W. W. (Dock) Markham, widely and favorably known business man here, and runner-up in the primaries in 1944 for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, is a candidate for that office, subject to the Primary election to be held on Saturday, July 27, 1946.

Mr. Markham, until recently, was engaged in business here, having sold his interests and will be able to devote his entire time to the campaign and to the office. His campaign for the nomination next July has been launched under most favorable circumstances, he said, and expressed his deep appreciation for the voluntary support that has come to him since he made known his intentions to be a candidate this year.

The impressive vote he received two years ago indicate his popularity with the people and implied generous public confidence in his ability to perform the duties of the office. A man of fine and generous personality he has made many personal friends and they do not hesitate to vouch for his integrity and qualifications. His training has been peculiarly advantageous and he would (turn to page seven)

A. N. GREEN ASKING FOR RE-ELECTION HERE

My fellow citizens of Milam County:

Five years ago I came to you seeking a seat in the Texas House of Representatives. You responded to my ambition in generous measure, and by your confidence I have served as your representative for three consecutive terms. At each recurring election you gave me your unqualified approval.

During this long term of years I have rendered you my best service as a public official. With deep-seated desire to relieve the suffering of the needy and distressed, I have consistently espoused the cause of the aged, the blind, and the crippled and indigent children.

I was the author of and sponsored the bill that removed the insane from the jails of Texas. During my first term in the Legislature there were more than seven hundred insane men, women and children in the jails of Texas. Since May 1943 not one was kept there for lack of room in the State Institution prepared for their care. I assisted in much other constructive legislation and helped to defeat many bad measures.

I never once voted to appropriate money which in my opinion was not of known necessity. I voted to carry out the will of the people as expressed by our Constitution, with equality and justice for all.

At the close of World War I this Nation owed in round figures, sixteen billion dollars. At the close of World War II it owes approximately three hundred billion dollars. This money can not be made by law nor decree. It must be made by labor from the (turn to page seven)

CITIZENS TICKET IS FILED

THREE ARE DRAFTED FOR CITY COUNCIL

Three prominent Cameron business men have been drafted by citizens for places on the City Primary Ballot, for Mayor and for Aldermen.

A statement issued jointly by the men Wednesday afternoon, following certification of their names to the ballot, sets out that their selection makes up a Citizens Ticket of candidates for three places on the Council. One is President and two are Directors of the Chamber of Commerce.

The candidates are A. W. McCullin, running for Mayor; August Kunz, running for Alderman, Place No. 2; and Ben F. Reichert, running for Alderman, Place No. 1.

Mr. McCullin is president of the Chamber of Commerce and owner and operator of Mack's Oil Company, a large wholesale and retail business here.

Mr. Kunz, war veteran, is owner of a large wood an dplaning mill and a director of the Chamber of Commerce and civic leader.

Ben F. Reichert, a director in the Chamber of Commerce, is Editor and Publisher of the Cameron Enterprise, and a widely known civic worker.

The joint statement reads as follows:

"Three local business men have been drafted by Cameron citizens to run on a Citizen's Ticket for offices in the city government. A. W. McCullin, owner and operator of a wholesale and retail oil business here, Mack's Oil Company, has been drafted to run for the office of Mayor; August Kunz, operator of the Kunz Planing Mill; and Ben F. Reichert, editor of the Cameron Enterprise, have been drafted to run for the offices of Aldermen, Places 2 and 1, respectively.

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FOOTBALL BANQUET IS PLANNED FEBRUARY 14

Coach D. X. Bible of the University of Texas will be the principal speaker at the football banquet to be held here on the night of February 14, it was announced by Coach Leo Jackson Thursday morning.

Coach Bible will bring along the motion picture of the Texas-Missouri game in the Cotton Bowl.

The Lions and Rotary Clubs will jointly sponsor the banquet. Tickets will soon be on sale.

Attendance will include the All-District team and coaches and members of the three squads at Yoemen field.

U. S. 7th Army Set Fast Pace Up Through Vosges Into Germany; Corporal Willard B. Skelton Saw 175 Days of Combat Without Rest in Final Drives

The terrific pace set by the Allied armies in the final push on Germany is indicated by the story told here by Technician Fifth Grade Willard B. Skelton, Jr., who was on the fighting line 175 days with only 3 days of rest before the surrender.

Cpl. Skelton is now stationed at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, and hopes to receive his discharge the latter part of January. He is a Classification Expert and is working on the re-assignment program for returning soldiers.

Cpl. Skelton entered the army on May 25, 1943, first training at Camp Fannin, Tyler. When he left Tyler he went to St. Bonaventure, New York to a specialized training school for engineers. He was there four months when the school was discontinued because the army needed fighting men. Cpl. Skelton reported for duty at Fort Bragg. He was one among about 100 thousand men who were forced out of the schools because of the critical need for men on the fighting front.

After nine months at Fort Bragg in North Carolina, he went overseas with his unit of infantry, Company B, 399th Infantry, which became a part of the famous U. S. 7th Army commanded by the late General Alexander M. Patch. The 7th Army was a battle-hardened outfit with plenty

LESTER WILLIAMS HEADS FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Lester Williams, recently discharged from the United States Navy, and widely known for his banking experience, has been elected President of the First National Bank in Cameron.

Vernon Roberts of Temple, former resident here, and widely known business man, has been elected Chairman of the Board of the Bank.

Mr. Williams and Mr. Roberts have just announced their purchase of the stock and interests of Mrs. H. M. Hefley and Mr. and Mrs. George Waller in the First National Bank. Their election to the respective offices stated above was made at a meeting of the stockholders of the bank Thursday afternoon.

The officials of the bank, following the election, are as follows:

Vernon Roberts, chairman of the board; Lester Williams, president; E. Vogelsang, vice president; R. H. McIntosh, vice president; Mrs. S. W. Cheeves, vice president; August Gurecky, cashier; R. A. Marak, assistant cashier; Mrs. Henriem H. McIntosh, assistant cashier.

Mr. Roberts, a native of Cameron, is president of the Temple Life Insurance Company, one of the largest and most successful companies of its (turn to page seven)

G. B. HUGHES DIES SUDDENLY IN TEMPLE

G. B. Hughes, 20, died suddenly January 16, 1946 at 7 p.m. at King Daughters Hospital in Temple.

He was born October 27, 1925 in Henrietta, Oklahoma. He attended schools in Cameron and lived here for about fifteen years. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hughes of Cameron.

Mr. Hughes enlisted in the Marines August 16, 1943 and served six months overseas. He returned to the States and remained at the Hospital at Norman, Oklahoma for four months, where he received his discharge. At the time of his death he was employed by the Santa Fe railroad out of Brownwood and Temple.

Those who survive are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hughes, four sisters, Mrs. Jewell Mullinax of Cameron, Mrs. Bennie Carter of Sweetwater, Mrs. Velma Morris of Cameron and Miss Wilma Jean Hughes of Austin.

Services will be held Friday afternoon at the Methodist church with Rev. K. R. Isbell officiating. Pall bearers will be selected from veterans of foreign war.

175 Days of Combat



CPL. WILLARD B. SKELTON

of war experience in North Africa and Sicily being then commanded by the late General George S. Patton, who later led the great U. E. Third through France and Germany.

Cpl. Skelton's infantry unit went into combat five days after it landed. This indicates the thorough training of the men as well as the need for (Continued from page two)

WHO'S TO BLAME?

BY ROSCOE DRUMMOND
In The Christian Science Monitor

Washington President Truman has in effect asked the country to rescue him from himself, from the Democrats, from the Republicans, and from the political system of which they are all a part.

From the President's address of last week it is apparent that there is plenty of blame for everybody and little credit for anyone in the legislative impasse which has prevailed in Washington for the last six months. The causes of Mr. Truman's political difficulties run too deep to be cured by a single speech; but they can be alleviated because the President has helped to bring them out into the

open where they can be better appraised.

Mr. Truman did not describe in any terms too grave the dangerous political stalemate between the Congress and the White House in the whole range of urgent domestic affairs. The unproductive and much-criticized Council of Foreign Ministers in London stands out as a veritable dynamo of activity compared with the extent to which the President and Congress have agreed since last summer. That agreement can be spanned by the little finger.

Responsibility reaches in every direction, with Mr. Truman himself not

to be excluded. There are four principal causes of the impasse and they can be summarized as follows:

The Truman Blame—The President has been a very late convert, indeed, to the proposition that the conditions created by a \$300,000,000,000 war cannot be casually liquidated by a quick return to economic normalcy. The whole mood of the Administration after the defeat of Japan was "back-to-normalcy" and a precipitate throwing off wartime controls. This psychology and this haste fostered many of the inflationary pressures against which the President has tardily warned (turn to page eight)

4-H CLUB GIRLS MAKE FINE RECORD IN 1945

Reports from Home Demonstration club members and 4-H girls show that they were on their toes in 1945.

Food production and preservation were in the spotlight, with seventy-five families reported canning 10,265 containers of fruits and vegetables. 6210 pounds of food were dried and stored and 2472 pounds of food stored in freezer lockers. 4-H club girls reported 1677 quarts of food canned, 290 lbs. dried and stored and 409 lbs. food stored in freezer lockers.

Reports show that 3007 pullets were raised and 3606 fryers produced. Egg production totaled 44,164 dozen.

As a result of this food production program, 42 families reported an improved diet for 1945.

Other outstanding work was done in clothing. Club women made a total of 574 garments, and remodeled 121. As part of the clothing program 52 hats were cleaned and remade, 15 purses made, 36 bonnets, and 145 household articles. 16 sewing machines were cleaned, 8 clothes closets built, and 15 closets remodeled.

Club girls reported making 331 garments and remaking 121 articles.

In orchard work, 231 fruit trees were set out, 135 cuttings rooted, and 150 fruit and nut seed planted.

Toward yard improvement, 12 lawns were sodded, 14 shade trees put out and 160 shrubs planted.

To help with the war effort, Home Demonstration club women and 4-H girls bought Bonds and stamps, co-operated with others in sharing the use of equipment, swapping work, sharing rides, passing on useful information, and helping with the labor shortage by taking on additional jobs.

Clubs and communities represented in these reports are Home Demonstration clubs, Gardner, New Salem, Bethlehem, Hoyte, Jones Prairie, Clarkson, Duncan, and Tracy. Girls 4-H clubs: Ben Arnold, Yarrellton, Sharp, Tracy, Hoyte, Curry and Milano.

Clarkson H. D. Club Meets

The Clarkson H. D. club met January 3 in the home of Mrs. Emil Skupin, new Secretary for the club. Old and new business problems were discussed and followed by a program on "Profits from Handiwork". The club's new president, Mrs. Jim Hank, who was in charge of the topic, called on each member to suggest types of profitable handiwork.

After the meeting adjourned, the hostess served delicious cheese sandwiches, pickles, cake, oatmeal cookies and hot chocolate.

The next meeting is scheduled for January 17 in the home of Mrs. Jim Hank.

Much Colder Saturday

Weather forecasts at noon Friday indicate much colder weather Friday night and Saturday. Below freezing temperatures were prevailing in West Texas and in East Texas cloudy and colder was forecast.

Daughter Born to Sgt. And Mrs. Arnold Orsag

Evelyn Deanne, eight-pound daughter, was born at 12:05 a.m. December 25, 1945, at the Cameron Hospital to Sgt. and Mrs. Arnold Orsag.

Sgt. Orsag is now on occupation duty with the 10th Armored Unit in Germany.

Mrs. Helen Louise Macal of San Antonio has returned to her duties at the Milam Cafeteria, after spending the holidays with her mother and sisters. This was the first Christmas she had spent with her family in four years.



CAMERON THEATRE
SUNDAY AND MONDAY
JANUARY 20 and 21

Matocha Hardware Co. Sold to E. L. Wied

The hardware business of A. J. Matocha & Company in Cameron has been sold to E. L. Wied, it was announced Thursday by B. J. Matocha and Mrs. A. J. Matocha.

The Matocha Hardware Company is one of the old established business firms in Cameron and has served a large territory for many years. Located in Santa Fe town it will continue to be operated.

B. J. Matocha had continued to operate the business following the death of his brother, A. J. Matocha.

Dan Tyson, City Secretary and Treasurer, is ill at his home and has been away from his post of duty for several days. His many friends trust he may be up soon and back on the job at city hall.

Chili con Carne is a Texas, not Mexican, delicacy. Chili in Mexico is prepared by a Texas recipe.

T-5 Robert S. Ryan has received his discharge at the Fort Douglas Separation Center. He is the son of Mrs. John Ryan of Cameron, and his wife resides in Utah. Incidental to his 45 months of service he is authorized to wear the American Theatre ribbon, Good Conduct Medal and Victory Medal.

Chas. M. Hicks, county superintendent has returned to this city after several days in Austin attending a state educational meeting.

In 1911, A. G. McGallin established the aviation industry in Dallas building planes in his back yard on Ervay street.

Read the want ads each day.

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THE VERDICT OF THE YEARS IS SATISFACTION

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INSURANCE IS NOT AN EXPENSE—IT IS AN INVESTMENT IN SECURITY!

A "Look at the Books" OR "A Finger in the Pie?"

Which is the UAW-CIO really after? Is it seeking facts---or new economic power? Does it want to know things---or run things?

These questions concern you as well as General Motors?

For years the facts about General Motors have been made public.

In spite of this, the UAW-CIO demands a chance to look at our books, with the hint that we could meet Union demands "if the truth were really known."

We have firmly declined to recognize this as a basis for bargaining:

1. The Full Facts are Published

How much General Motors takes in each year—how much it pays employees—how much it pays to stockholders—how much it pays in taxes—how much net profit we make—and many other facts are plainly stated in annual reports and quarterly reports.

These are broadcast to 425,000 stockholders from coast to coast—sent to newspapers and libraries. Additional copies are free for the asking.

2. All Figures are Thoroughly Checked

Every General Motors annual statement is audited by outside auditors. Similar figures are filed with the Securities & Exchange Commission.

Does the UAW-CIO honestly believe that General Motors would or could deceive these experts?

3. Basis of Collective Bargaining is Defined

The Wagner Act lays down the rules for collective bargaining. These cover such areas as rates of pay, hours of work, working conditions.

No mention is made of earnings, prices, sales volume, taxes and the like. These are recognized as the problems of management.

4. Something New has been Added

The obvious fact is that the UAW-CIO has gone beyond its rights under the law—and is reaching not for information but for new power—NOT FOR A LOOK AT PAST FIGURES, BUT FOR THE POWER TO SIT IN ON FORECASTING AND PLANNING THE FUTURE.

A "look at the books" is a clever catch phrase intended as an opening wedge whereby Unions hope to pry their way into the whole field of management.

It leads surely to the day when Union bosses, under threat of strike, will demand the right to tell WHAT we can make, WHEN we can make it, WHERE we can make it, and how much we must charge YOU—all with an eye on what labor can TAKE OUT of the business, rather than on the VALUE THAT GOES INTO THE PRODUCT.

5. This Threatens All Business

If the Union can do this in the case of General Motors, it can do it to every business in this land of ours.

Is this just imagination? Union spokesmen have said, "The Union has stated time after time that this issue is bigger than just an ordinary wage argument, that it is bigger than the Corporation and bigger than the Union."

For Labor Unions to use the monopolistic power of their vast membership to extend the scope of wage negotiations to include more than wages, hours and working conditions is the first step toward handing the management of business over to the Union bosses.

We therefore reject the idea of a "look at the books" not because we have anything to hide but because THE IDEA ITSELF hides a threat to GM, to all business, and to you, the public.

GENERAL MOTORS

"MORE AND BETTER THINGS FOR MORE PEOPLE"

Officer's
County Service
VETERANS
Column

GI BILL OF RIGHTS AS AMENDED
BY RECENT CONGRESS

On December 28, 1945 the President signed the amendment to the GI Bill of Rights. The amendments are as follows:

TITLE I. (Secs. 100-101). Makes permanent the authority of the Veterans Administration to procure space for the Veterans Administration. Under the old law this authority was limited to the duration and six months thereafter. (Sec. 200). The Administrator may provide, at his discretion office space and facilities for the representative of veterans organizations. (Sec. 301). Permits review of the findings and decisions of Navy and Army retiring boards, with added inclusion of the findings and decisions of board and Medical Survey and disposition boards.

EDUCATIONAL CHANGES. TITLE II.—(Sec. 400). Extends the time from two to four years after discharge or the end of the war (whichever is the later) to initiate a course and extends the time for completing the education from seven to nine years after the end of the war. Eliminates the requirement of showing interruption of education by service, and strikes out the 25 years-of-age limitation. Reference to "refresher or retraining courses" is removed. The new act provides that the veteran will be afforded education for one year plus the time he was in service, not to exceed four years. Short, intensive courses are authorized, cost not to exceed \$500.00 Provision is

made for correspondence school instructions, without subsistence allowance, cost not to exceed \$500. The Administrator is authorized to make adjustment of fees with public institutions under certain circumstances. Subsistence allowance is increased from \$50 to \$65 for the veteran without dependents; from \$75 to \$90 for veterans with dependents.

NEW LOAN PROVISION, TITLE III.—Any loan made by a prescribed lending agency within 10 years after the end of the war is to be AUTOMATICALLY guaranteed to 50 per cent of the loan, but loans by lending agencies not supervised by State or Federal agencies must be approved in advance in order to be guaranteed. The amount of guarantee in case of non-real estate loans may not exceed \$2,000, but may be \$4,000 in case of a real estate loan. Interest charged may not exceed 4 per cent. The Administrator is authorized to pay 4 per cent on the amount originally guaranteed rather than the interest for the first year. Maturity on real estate loans is not to exceed 25 years, or in case of farm realty 40 years, and on non-real estate loans 10 years. Permits a veteran to buy a lot out of loan designed to finance building a house on lot. Loans may be for every ordinary farming purpose. Permits business enterprises to be financed initially. Broadens financing of existing indebtedness to cover all types of loans. A provision modifies secondary loans.

NO DEDUCTION FROM BONUS. TITLE IV. (Sec. 1505). This section

was replaced in its entirety; it concerned the deduction of costs of benefits from any future adjusted compensation (bonus). Public Law No. 16. The Veterans Administration is authorized to extend the time for education or training of disabled veterans beyond the four year period, and the time within which training may be furnished is extended from six to nine years after the end of the war. Monthly subsistence rates are increased under Public 16 as follows: The minimum will be \$105 for a veteran without dependents; \$115 for a veteran with one dependent; \$10 for a child; \$7 for each additional child; \$15 for a dependent parent.

This is only mentioning the high spots in this amendment. I hope to have a complete text of the amendments in the near future and will submit them at that time.

Jess Thompson,
Veterans County Service Officer.

NOTICE

Interest through and including the calendar year of 1945, will be paid on consumers' deposits. Bring your deposit receipt with you when you call at our office for your interest.

Texas Power &
Light Company



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The Buckholts State Bank

AT BUCKHOLTS, TEXAS

at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1945, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$197,484.44
United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	218,000.00
Cash, balances due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (include exchanges for clearing house)	242,245.78
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	1.00
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	1.00
Other real estate owned	1.00
Other assets	3,503.17
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$661,236.39

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common Capital Stock	25,000.00
Surplus: Certified \$7,000.00, Not Certified \$12,500.00	19,500.00
Undivided profits	9,975.02
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	602,367.60
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	4,243.77
Other deposits (certified & cashier's checks, etc.)	150.00
Total all deposits	\$606,761.37

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$661,236.39

STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF MILAM.

I, Ed Kolba, being President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ED KOLBA.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1946.

(SEAL) J. R. Slovacek,
Notary Public, Milam County, Texas.

CORRECT—Attest:

J. A. Jungmann,
A. R. Walschak,
Leo Fuchs,

Directors.

Mrs. Judd Davis is
Hostess to Wednesday
Bridge Club in City

A delightful social occasion of the winter season was the courtesy extended by Mrs. Judd Davis as hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club of Cameron at her home on January 9.

The decoration scheme for the home and details of the program was green and white. These colors were carried out in attractive arrangements. A solid course and hot chocolate were the refreshment delicacies.

WALLACE
AND
WALLACE

ATTORNEYS AT LAW
Over First National Bank
Cameron, Texas

January 17, 1946

THE CAMERON HERALD—3

Visitors for the party were Mrs. Sam McDermott and Mrs. Eber Flinn. Mrs. B. F. Robinson, club member was winner of the high score and also held traveling prize. Mrs. Flinn won guest high score and Mrs. H. F. Smith, club member, and Mrs. McDermott cut high.

Wendell Cryer is seriously ill at McCloskey Hospital.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation for the expressions of sympathy and kindness extended us during the illness and death of our loved one.

Tony Brahm and Family.

Paul C. Graves of Buckholts transacted business in Cameron this week.

DEPENDABILITY

You can confidently depend on us to carry out your every wish in choice of appointments. Good taste and quiet dignity prevails no matter how simple the ceremony.

MAREK-BURNS FUNERAL HOME

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Charter No. 13731

Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

IN CAMERON

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1945, Published in Response to a call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS:

Loans and discounts (including \$970.67 overdrafts)	\$ 315,137.03
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,508,711.62
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	40,575.00
Corporate stocks (including \$2,400.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	2,400.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	464,450.20
Bank premises owned \$29,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1.00	29,001.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1.00
Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	8,659.94

TOTAL ASSETS \$2,368,935.79

LIABILITIES:

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,618,009.15
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	128,425.87
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	500,349.04
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	32,699.80
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	2,565.48
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$2,282,049.34

TOTAL LIABILITIES \$2,282,049.34

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:

(a) Class A preferred, total par \$10,000.00, retireable value	\$10,000.00
(Rate of dividends on retireable value is 3%)	
(c) Common stock, total par	\$50,000.00 60,000.00
Surplus	21,000.00
Undivided profits	5,696.45
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	190.00

TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 86,886.45

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$2,368,935.79

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):

(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	542,200.00
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	39,475.00
(e) TOTAL	581,675.00
Secured liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	529,531.05
(d) TOTAL	\$ 529,531.05

State of Texas, County of Milam, ss:

I, A. K. Gurecky, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. K. GURECKY, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1946.

Alice R. DuBois, Notary Public, Milam County, Texas.

CORRECT—Attest:

E. VOGELSANG,
R. H. MCINTOSH,
MRS. S. W. CHEEVES
Directors.

(SEAL)

OLIN CULBERTSON TALKS TO JOINT MEETING HERE

Olin Culbertson, chairman of the Railroad Commission, told a joint meeting of the Rotary and Lions Clubs here Tuesday that if Germany is to be made a trustworthy nation in the family of world powers the Junkers must go.

Mr. Culbertson spoke at length on the present world outlook. He took a fling at isolationism in this country and roundly scored pacifism which he said was responsible for the great war just ended because we got soft and let Germany rearm.

The present German General Staff and the war makers for generations have been Prussians. Mr. Culbertson made the assertion that 132 families in Germany are Junkers and that they control the thoughts of the people. Preceding the late war the German leaders stamped out intel-

lectuals and grew a nation of fighting men who knew none of the finer qualities of civilized beings.

Mr. Culbertson came here on the occasion of the annual meeting of the clubs in joint session. His address was generally enjoyed.

Mr. Culbertson is a veteran of World War I, serving with the famous Fifth Cavalry.

SON IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Massengale of Maysfield are being congratulated by their friends on the arrival of a son, born in Cameron on Tuesday, January 8. He has been named LeRoy, Jr. The mother is the former Miss Hallie Jamison. Both mother and baby are doing splendidly and have gone to their home at Maysfield.

Mr. Massengale was recently with the McGregor Ordnance Plant doing special work for the federal government. He is also a former Deputy Sheriff.

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Simplicity Patterns
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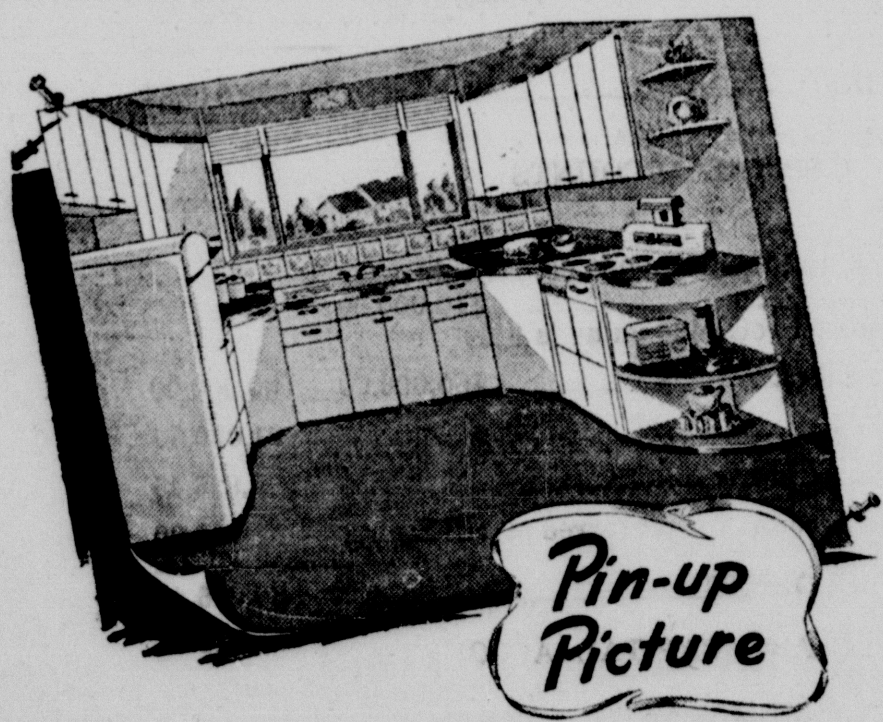
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Test Field Yields Odd Nazi Gadgets

Likely Inventor's Nightmare Are Weird New Weapons.

A GERMAN ARMY ORDNANCE PROVING GROUNDS, HILLER-SLEBEN, GERMANY. — This German army testing ground for new weapons is an inventor's nightmare, containing everything from a mammoth armored what-is-it to a bayonet - corkscrew - bottle-opener combination gadget that looks like the Nazi version of what no kitchen should be without.

It will take months of work by American and British ordnance men to make head or tail of the great mass of equipment and gadgets they found here. It would be funny except for the fact that everything built here was built with the idea of killing people.

First, there is the great what-is-it. Nobody has yet figured out what it is or what it may have been intended to be, but it is certainly the largest land-going contraption likely to appear in this war. It has four wheels, each 9 feet tall and equipped with wooden pads. It weighs about 100 tons and is heavily armored.

The machine has places for two drivers, in an armored compartment 12 feet above the ground. Then there is a new anti-tank gun with a barrel at least 30 feet long and a before firing a shell of at least 120 millimeter size. There are hundreds of other guns, most of them anti-tank weapons, and it is apparent the Germans were concentrating on high-velocity guns in their experiments. Some guns have been sabotaged, but most are intact.

The huge depot covers hundreds of acres, housing thousands of types of guns, shells and sights.

Millions of dollars worth of precision equipment and materials was captured intact and only experienced scientists will be able to sort out the devices. The Germans made decided efforts to smash their optical experiments, which seemed to indicate they thought they had something the Allies do not possess.

German Schools Opened; Teachers Take New Oath

WITH BRITISH FORCES IN GERMANY.—Schools for children between 6 and 10 rapidly are being reopened in the British occupation zone in Germany.

The German teachers employed must take the following oath:

"I will not teach anything which glorifies militarism; which seeks to propagate, revive or justify the doctrines of National Socialism or exalt the achievements of Nazi leaders; which favors a policy of discrimination on the grounds of race and religion; which is hostile or seeks to disturb the relations between any of the United Nations; which expounds the practice of war or the mobilization or preparation for war whether in the scientific, economic or industrial fields, or which promotes the study of military geography."

Authorities in Cologne said 158 teachers had been put provisionally on the approved list.

AMG Lays Down Rules

For Berlin Trade Unions

LONDON. — The American military government in Germany has laid down conditions under which trade unions may be established in the G.I. zone of occupation, the Luxembourg radio said. Employers are forbidden to influence the election of shop committees and union officials, Nazis cannot be candidates, and applications for formation of shop committees may be submitted by anyone provided he is supported by 25 per cent of a plant's workers.

A Single Peach Now

Costs \$1.70 in London

LONDON.—Londoners are paying \$1.30 to \$1.70 for a single peach—in the midst of an English peach harvest—the Daily Express said.

Britain imports most of her peaches, and war virtually has halted such imports, creating a boom market for the home-grown variety. The few available are displayed carefully nestled in cotton wool to protect the skins.

Half of Foreign Bonds

Are Still in Default

NEW YORK. — Nearly half of the foreign dollar bonds outstanding at the end of 1944 were in default, Foreign Bondholders Protective Council, Inc., said recently.

In a report for the years 1941 through 1944 covering publicly offered dollar bonds issued and guaranteed by foreign governments and their political sub-divisions, the council said that such issues were outstanding in the amount of around \$4,700,000 as of December 31, 1944.

Imports of Pepper

Fell to Zero in '44

WASHINGTON. — The census bureau explained why pepper has been hard to find in grocery stores—none was imported during 1944.

Because areas held by Japan were the principal sources of supply, unground pepper imports fell from 73,957,710 pounds in 1941 to 6,696,821 in 1942.

Leland Green, Jr. is Back on Duty at Big Stores in Cameron

Leland Green, Jr., who has been critically ill for several months, is now back on the job at the big stores of Green & Boedecker in Cameron.

Mr. Green is manager of the food store, one of the largest in this area. His many friends throughout the city and trade territory will be glad to know he has recovered and is able to attend to his business.

Mr. Green was stricken some months ago. He was a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital for many weeks and after he was able to leave the hospital he spent several weeks at home recuperating. He has not regained his normal strength but is well on the way to complete recovery.

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Strong, healthy, happy babies. "Man" power! So much depends on proper feeding formulas and care during babyhood.

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Many doctors are prescribing infant formulas based on Daricraft homogenized evaporated milk. It has an improved flavor... is sterilized... is homogenized... meets all standards for natural milk butters, milk solids, minerals and vitamins... and is fortified by the addition of "sunshine" Vitamin D.

Accepted by the Council on Foods and Nutrition, of the American Medical Association, your grocer can supply you.



CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks to all for their kindness and floral offerings during the illness and loss of our dear mother and wife.

We especially thank Rev. Besada of Caldwell and Rev. Vilt of Needville for comforting words spoken.

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with Every Package of
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FLOUR
ANCHOR HARD—50-LB. SACK \$2.19
(1 can Pure BLACK PEPPER FREE With Each Sack)

MACARONI
SKINNER'S 3 BOXES 25c

SYRUP
COTTON CLUB, GALLON BUCKET 55c

KITCHEN CHAIRS
SOLID OAK—SPECIAL \$2.75

MOP
OIL OR DUST—LARGE SIZE 59c

CHICK WATERERS
GLASS—(THIS WEEK ONLY) 10c

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GLASS—SET OF THREE 29c

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CAMERON

MRS. SUSIE BRAHM IS BURIED HERE FRIDAY

Mrs. Susie Brahm, 77, died in Newton Memorial Hospital at 2 p. m. Thursday, January 10, 1946. She had been ill for some time.

Mrs. Brahm was a native of Bosque county and was born January 5, 1869. With her husband, Tony Brahm, she moved to Cameron, many years ago and had made their home here since. Mr. Brahm who survives was at one time connected with a railroad company out of Cameron.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Friday, January 11, 1946 from the chapel of the Green Funeral Home in Cameron. Rev. K. R. Isbell, pastor of First Methodist Church, conducted the services and interment was made in Oak Hill Cemetery with the Green Funeral Home directing arrangements.

Surviving are six children as follows: Mrs. Henry Harkens of Yoa-kum, Mrs. Betty Bryant of Fort Worth, Mrs. Otto Smith of Cameron, Mrs. J. R. Mays of Lyons, Kansas, Mrs. Eddie McCurry of Merced, California, and Henry Brahm of Rockdale. Surviving also are 12 grand children and three great-grand children.

Buckholts Navy Man On Way Home From War In the Pacific

NAVAL STAGING CENTER, PEARL HARBOR, T. H.—Felix J. Marek, aviation machinist's mate, third class, Buckholts is getting ready to rejoin the ranks of civilians, together with thousands of others going through this Naval demobilization center headed for the States.

At this staging center, the prospective discharges are grouped according to what separation center they will report to for their final papers. They are placed aboard cargo ships headed for the States as soon as shipping space is available.

The first textbook in Texas was written by a Spanish missionary, printed in Mexico, an dissued to Texas Indians.

John Hairston Talks Of "Good Old Days"; May Write for Paper

Some of the die hard conservatives who live by old tombs in the dark, are skeptical of progress. Their chief discord is the "new deal" and going back to the old days.

John Hairston, who lives on Route 3, was in Cameron Monday, spinning a few yarns about old times. Mr. Hairston is neither a conservative nor a wild eyed progressive, but he does have a lot of good common sense about things. That's something we need now, good common sense.

Mr. Hairston does not want to go back to the "good old days," as some say. He passed through those days and while he was doing so he had his eyes open.

"I saw cotton sell for \$15 a bale," said Mr. Hairston, "and I say the finest pork in the world sold at 3c per pound dressed. Now you pay a dollar for a steak that weighs 14 ounces. In those days hogs ran wild and they were herded and killed in the winter and dressed and sold."

"I sometimes wonder if folks would be interested in some stories and observations of old times. There are many things of interest we could write about."

Mr. Hairston has been assured that folks want to read what he has to say. There are many others among our

rural readers who can tell a good story. Why not send them in? Let's make 1946 a historical year and keep alive the memories of the "good old days" though nobody in reality wants to go back to those mileposts along the trail of humanity.

School Board Asking For 25c Additional Tax to Pay Teachers

The Cameron School Board is asking for an additional 25c tax mainly because of the need to increase salaries of teachers.

Teachers in schools generally have been underpaid and this is especially true in Cameron. A committee has been named and are now looking into the possibilities.

Cameron is a common law city and therefore has control of its school system to a certain extent. Trustees are elected but the taxes are collected by the city. The schools now operate on a 75c tax which was voted by the people some 20 years ago or more. A question now being determined is whether the City Council can appropriate money for schools or whether any additional revenue needed will have to be voted.

Cameron's antiquated system of government should be changed. The people should have home rule and the schools should be separate and independent.

VALTER WHITE RUNS FOR ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR

Valter White, recently discharged war veteran, will be a candidate for Assessor and Collector of Taxes in the July primary, he announced Monday.

Mr. White's complete announcement will appear in county newspapers this week.

Sgt. White served with distinction in the army and for a long period of time was in the North Pacific area. While on his way from Washington recently he suffered a broken leg in a road accident and was at McCloskey Hospital for some time under treatment.

Sgt. White recently was discharged.

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ATTORNEYS AT LAW

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January 17, 1946

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ed. He resigned his office as Sheriff of the county to go to the army. He said he had been urged by many people in all sections of the county to make the race.

T-5 L. V. Swain of Gause is scheduled to arrive in the States soon, and will receive his discharge at the nearest separation center.

At Ennis, Texas, man has discovered a way to process cotton burrs into boards; for building purposes.

A. W. Lucas with the C-Z Chemical Company in Houston, was in Cameron Friday on business. Mr. Lucas was discharged recently from the service, having spent many months overseas. He was born and reared here and is the son of Walter Lucas.

T-Sgt. A. R. Price of Cameron arrived in the States aboard the USS Saratoga, and will soon receive his discharge from military duty.

Merchandise Offerings

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DESK LITES
BED LITES
HOME AND
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PARTS
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DUFFLE-BAGS
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SWITCHES

ARCHERY

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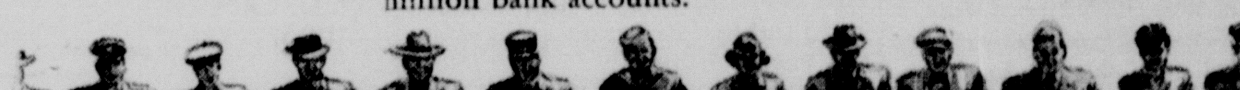
Victory March Toward Security

America's largest army is its Army of War Bondholders—85 million strong. From our farms and factories, from our cities and towns, from our armed forces they come, again and again, to invest in




America. This great savings crusade, born of war, is one of our great hopes for peacetime prosperity.

And marching within the ranks of these 85 million bond buyers are the Americans who also maintain more than 75 million bank accounts.




A great arsenal for peacetime prosperity—bank savings, War Bonds, Victory Bonds!

Together, wisely managed, they can help forge the weapons of peace:—jobs, industry, fair prices, stability, family security



Keep on marching toward security! Today, while goods are still scarce and the threat of rising prices continues, plan to spend wisely. Plan to save regularly. Save, by buying more of your country's Bonds and holding them. Save, by building up your bank account. You and your family will reap the harvest of your sacrifice and thrift.


*In this panel may be inserted local statistics of bank accounts and war bonds.



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JEFFERSON B. WHITE
Editor and Publisher

EICKENHORST

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in his senior year, graduated and entered the army in 1940. He advanced in rank and was a Major in the U. S. Third Army when he was killed in action in Germany in December of 1944. Blaylock went to law school, graduated and was appointed to the Federal Bureau of Investigation where he served and still serves, being located in Washington. Evans has just returned from the Canal Zone area where as a First Lieutenant in the Artillery, he served with distinction throughout the war. He is a graduate optometrist and will soon take up practice in Cameron.

In July 1941 Eickenhorst was shipped overseas for duty as a Chief Clerk, Secret Records Section in the Philippines Department Headquarters.

"Our headquarters was at old Fort Santiago, constructed in 1565, in Manila, Philippine Islands. Manila was a beautiful place before the war with its many historical cathedrals, monuments, picturesque sunsets and cool, beautiful pleasant evenings.

"Shortly after the bombing of Pearl Harbor the city of Manila was declared an open city and all military personnel were evacuated to Bataan. You are familiar with the details of the ensuing struggle, how that our forces badly outnumbered and with no supply or communication lines to the sea, were cut off from the world and faced certain defeat, capture or death. In April of 1942 Bataan was forced to surrender and on April 9, I, along with many others became a prisoner of war under the Japs.

"After the infamous death march we arrived at Camp O'Donnell and remained there, locked up, under the most horrible conditions mankind has ever known. Many men were optimistic, many just the opposite, and many just gave up entirely. In June we were transferred to Cabanatuan. I remained in the Cabanatuan Camp until February of 1944. In this camp I worked just about every day with the camp wood detail. We would leave the camp at day break, cut wood all day in the dense jungles of Luzon and return to camp about dark. We worked very hard, all the day long, rain or shine.

"On the 24th of March I was a member of a detail of 300 officers and enlisted men shipped to Japan. We had six ships in our little convoy headed for Japan proper. We had an old seasoned skipper in command of our little Maru. He took a zig-zag course all the way to Japan. On April 10, 1944 we docked at Osaka, Japan. I did not see any of the other ships that started out with us. At Osaka we boarded a train for Estachi, a small copper mining village, just north of Tokyo. Here we worked in a very dangerous, old copper mine. We worked about 4000 meters under the ground for four months. In August 1944 we were transferred further back up in the mountains, to another copper mine in Ashito, about 90 kilometers north of Tokyo. Here we remained until we were liberated by the Americans on September 4, 1945. I have never seen a happier group of men in all my life.

"Once I had pneumonia and my weight was down to 110 pounds. Our food, clothing, shelter and medical supplies were extremely poor and inadequate. In addition to these abnormal conditions we were forced to work 12 hours per day.

"On my body I have many scars caused by burns inflicted by our

congenial host, the Japs. And right here I would like to say that the human body is a beautiful piece of machinery.

"The Japs are a barbaric race of people who work you to death, starve you to death, and beat you unmercifully while they are doing it.

"The people cannot imagine our happiness when V-J Day came along. But for me, the war is not over. I still have a great battle to fight and that is the battle against tuberculosis which I picked up somewhere along the line. But under the splendid care of the excellent doctors which we have in Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Colorado, I have a swell chance to win. And you can bet that I will be in there fighting all the way.

"So in conclusion may I say: America! America! I love thy rocks and rills, thy woods and templed hills! Yes! Those lines didn't mean much to us way back when we sang them as starry-eyed school kids, but they gain new significance to those stationed on some 'God-forsaken' spot far across the seas."

CITIZENS BANK ELECTS OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

Oxsheer Smith was re-elected president of the Citizens National Bank on January 8 for the new year as stockholders heard reports about the operations of the bank in 1945.

Mr. Smith told the stockholders that the bank enjoyed the largest volume of business in its history.

The following officers were elected: Oxsheer Smith, president; W. O. Newton, active vice president; Niley Smith and Frank Monroe, vice presidents; Ladis Marek, Alvin Nolte and John Davis, assistant cashiers.

Directors are: Oxsheer Smith, Rush A. Thomas, Niley Smith, W. O. Newton and Frank Monroe.

Alvin Nolte recently returned from more than two years service with the army in the Pacific and has taken up his duties as assistant cashier, the place he held before volunteering for service.

John Davis, now an assistant cashier, was discharged from the army in the summer of 1945. He was wounded in the fighting on Okinawa and wears the Purple Heart.

The current report of the bank to the Comptroller of the Currency in Washington, as of December 31, 1945 shows total resources of \$6,663,678.61. This total is represented by the following principal items: Loans only \$707,228.31, cash \$5,938,936.30, the figure being represented in major part by investments in Government Bonds and other public securities, quickly convertible. The bank has deposits totaling \$6,404,880.20. Of this amount individual deposits are \$2,956,017.70.

The capital account of the bank is \$258,798.41 which includes the surplus of \$150,000.

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Corporate stocks (including \$7,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	7,500.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	1,227,662.08
Bank premises owned \$10,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1.00	10,001.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	12.00
Other assets	7,979.72
TOTAL ASSETS	\$6,663,678.61

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,956,017.70
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	678,633.17
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	1,321,450.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	598,102.14
Deposits of banks	843,064.08
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	6,575.07
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$6,403,842.16
Other liabilities	1,038.04
TOTAL LIABILITIES	6,404,880.20

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par \$100,000.00	100,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	8,798.41
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	258,798.41

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$6,663,678.61
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MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	1,799,207.96
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	392,011.93
(c) TOTAL	2,191,219.89
Secured liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	1,722,338.62
(d) TOTAL	\$1,722,338.62

State of Texas, County of Milam, ss: I, Oxsheer Smith, president of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

OXSHEER SMITH, President.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of January, 1946.

Mary M. Nolte, Notary Public, (SEAL) Milam, County, Texas.

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LOST—Brown leather billfold containing money and valuable papers. Finder can keep money but should return papers. Return to Cameron Herald, Willie Boecker. (38-1tp)

FOR SALE—Regular Farmall Tractor fully equipped, 2 and 3 row bedders, 2 mold board plows. Joe Hromcek, Rt. 1, Cameron. (38-1tp)

LOST—One large Black mule with white nose. Scar on right shoulder. Notify Herald. (38-1tp)

WANT TO BUY—Black Diamond watermelon seed. Any amount. Floyd Praesel, c-o. W. E. Alrdage, Rt. 3, Rockdale, Texas. (38-1tp)

FOR SALE—100 acres Ludwig Fuessel Estate. Ideal place, 2 sets improvements, 2 everlasting wells, windmill, electricity. All in cultivation. 12 miles northeast Taylor, 2 miles north Sandoval church. Also 83½ acres 7 miles southeast Rosebud, Texas. For full particulars see or write Werner Fuessel, Route 3, Taylor, or Rudolf Fuessel, Rt. 1, Taylor. (38-3tp)

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WILL BUY HOGS on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday. T. J. Kirk. (38-2tp)

FOR SALE

155 acres in Milam County, located 3½ mi. N from San Gabriel. Rolling black land with 90 acres in cultivation, balance pasture. Only fair improvements with plenty of water. A good proposition for general farming and stock. Price \$5,000.00. With a liberal cash payment attractive terms on balance.

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FOR SALE—4,000 bright bundles hegrira. Also want to buy B or H John Deere or B Farmall tractor. Joe Vrazel. Route 1, Box 312, Cameron, Texas. (37-2tp)

FOR SALE—Large 2-story house, all good hard lumber. Yager & Atkinson. (37-3tc)

FOR SALE—Second hand school bus. See Frank Kleiber, Fred Baker, or Gilbert McDonald, Rt. 1, Cameron. (36-4tc)

FOR SALE—New Massie Harris 81, fully equipped. Less than cost. T. C. Lewis, Rt. 3, Cameron (37-4tp)

FOR SALE—A John Deere disc plow. Good condition. See Willie Moraw, Cameron, Route 4. (35-3tp)

FOR SALE—5-room house with half acre of land, in north part of town. Call 200, Mrs. Ethel Posey. (37-1tc)

WILL BUY HOGS on Tuesday and Thursday of each week. Will pay 14.25 for tops, and will buy any other grade. Also have 3 good milk cows with calves for sale. Phone 272, T. J. Kirk. (36-2tp)

USED CARS WANTED—Will buy any make or model. Grabein Chevrolet company. 34-tf

Mrs. Ike Looney, who suffered a broken hip caused from a fall at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. B. Taylor, is reported to be resting well at the Cameron Hospital.

Phone your news items to 282.

Dr. Robert Titsworth

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According to an announcement from the Army Recruiting Service, reenlistment allowance will also be payable, provided reenlistment in the Regular Army is accomplished within three months after discharge from active duty.

Former soldiers may obtain complete information by visiting the re-

cruting station, located at 15 E. Central Ave., in Temple, Texas.

Navy Discharge Should Show Service Record

Men discharged from the Navy should see to it that their military record is copied on the back of the certificate, it has just been advised by the Department of Texas, American Legion.

Emmett Streetman, 11th District Commander, is in receipt of information which indicates there has been a serious omission in preserving these records locally. He has been advised to refer all discharge papers to Washington which do not have the military service record on the back.

It is pointed out that failure to have this information on the discharge in no way invalidates the discharge but it is vital to the veteran and to local records.

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Irene Dunne — Alexander Knox

Tuesday, January 22

"MAN ALIVE"

Pat O'Brien — Ellen Drew

Wednesday, January 23

"THE SPIDER"

Richard Conte — Faye Marlowe

Thursday and Friday, January 24 and 25

"KISS AND TELL"

Shirley Temple — Robert Benchley

Saturday, January 26

"DON'T FENCE ME IN"

Roy Rogers



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"BEYOND THE PECOS"

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CITY POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Herald is authorized to publish the following political announcements subject to the City Democratic Primary election on Tuesday, February 5, 1946:

- For Mayor:**
A. W. McCULLIN
- For Alderman, Place No. 1:**
B. F. REICHERT
- For Alderman, Place No. 2:**
AUGUST KUNZ
- For Secretary and Treasurer:**
DAN TYSON
- For City Marshal:**
WEBB (MANN) TODD
JIM MCGOLDRICK
JOE RICHTER

WHITE

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Intelligence, one of a few young men from this county who were so employed in the military forces.

After entering the army he was stationed at Camp Maxey where he received his early training. From there he went to the Northwest Pacific area and was in the zone of military operations that saw extensive defense provision and naval and land combat in the outer reaches of Alaskan waters. Sgt. White was called upon to perform important duties that carried him to many places on the continent. When Japan surrendered he was retained in the special work to which he had been assigned for many months and earned his honorable discharge on the point system which at that time was much higher than now required.

Elected to the office of Sheriff in 1940 he was re-elected in 1942 and remained in office until January 1943 when he resigned to enter the army, never having served any portion of the term to which he was elected in November of 1942.

Sgt. White was born and reared in this county. As a property owner and understanding the principle of values

his many friends point out that he is especially well qualified to serve as Assessor and Collector of Taxes. In making his formal announcement for the office, he was especially gratified to acknowledge the support of many from all sections of the county. Many have asked him to make the race and his candidacy gets under way with much favor.

If time and circumstances permit he will see and talk to every voter possible in the county. He sincerely appreciates what his supporters are doing to advance his candidacy and will be deeply grateful for the support of the people.

Sgt. White is seeking the office based upon his qualifications to discharge the duties, believing that public officials owe nothing less than their full time and qualifications when entrusted with responsibility. His business experience and public responsibility in the past, his friends point out, make him an excellent choice for the place and they are enthusiastic over the prospects of the public service claiming the time and talent of one who has demonstrated his worthiness.

He makes this announcement as his urgent personal appeal for your vote and support on Saturday, July 27, 1946.

WILLIAMS

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type in Texas. During recent years, Mr. Roberts has greatly expanded his business-interests and holdings to which he has just added a large share of the stock of the bank here. He is owner of the Professional Building in Temple, is a stockholder and a member of the Board of Directors of the First National Bank of Temple. He also has interests in Vernon, Texas and other points.

Mr. Vogelsang, who was elected president of First National Bank here, succeeding the late H. M. Hefley, now becomes vice president and will continue his active interest in the bank both as vice president and director. He is a widely known, successful business man and rancher. He has been prominent in the Texas cattle industry for years and is a large

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for nomination subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held on Saturday, July 27, 1946:

- For Representative 64th District:**
A. N. GREEN
- For Assessor and Collector of Taxes:**
VALTER WHITE
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:**
W. W. (Dock) MARKHAM

operator in livestock and beef production.

Mr. Williams, who served with distinction in the North Pacific theatre of war in the United States Navy and was recently honorably discharged, is best known for his banking experience, having devoted the major part of his business life thus far in that field of business. Both Mr. Williams and Mr. Roberts are young men. Mr. Williams is well known in Austin where he was associated with a loan company. He enjoys the friendship and the confidence of thousands in both areas.

As president of the bank, Mr. Williams will have an opportunity to apply his experience and ability with the added impetus of a personal interest in the institution and being so widely and favorably known, patrons of the bank see new strength and vigor in First National to meet the growing demands for better banking service.

Mr. Williams and Mr. Roberts cordially invite their friends to visit the bank and they are eager to serve you.

THREE ARE DRAFTED

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"These candidates have in mind a desire to serve in the interest and welfare of Cameron to the utmost of their ability. They are making no promises but plan to do as much as possible with the least expense. Economy in office would be stressed, and, at the same time, they are sincerely hopeful that Cameron will keep abreast of the times and will go steadily forward to the end that the city will be a better, healthier and happier place to call home."

GREEN

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fields, the forests, and the mines of this Nation. Then there is the disabled veteran and their dependents to be provided for. In our State the next Legislature must provide for the increase voted to Social Security by the adoption of H.J.R. 13. This should be carried out without additional levy of taxes, by general economy of the next session of the Legislature.

It is of the gravest importance that our basic commodities be maintained at maximum production and prices kept at a high level. Such items as cotton, wheat, cattle, hogs, sheep, corn and all farm products must be sold at a high price. It is of equal importance that labor be steadily employed at a fair wage. When farm products are high national income is high. When labor is employed at fair wages purchasing power is high. When farm products are high and labor paid a good wage it lightens the staggering load of the tax payer.

In my former campaigns I made but few promises, and it was my purpose to keep them all. I do not think it improper to avow that not one was broken, but every promise was faithfully redeemed.

With my long legislative training and experience, I seek a renewal of your confidence and approval of my record as a public servant, by re-electing me as your representative at the July Democratic Primary.

It would give me much pleasure to see and talk with each of you during the coming campaign, but the duties of the office will likely prevent it. However I want you to know that I am deeply grateful for your cooperation and good will and am ready to serve you at all times. With abiding faith in the wisdom and fidelity of the people, I invite your approval and support.

Very sincerely,
A. N. GREEN,
State Representative.

MARKHAM

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be able to bring to the office a great deal of ready experience and with his aptitude for cooperation would be able to give to all the people that quality of public performance they have the right to expect of one in whom they invest such confidence.

Mr. Markham has lived in this precinct for more than a quarter century. His qualifications are well known and he makes a generous pledge to the people that he will serve the interests of the entire district at all times, seeing that demands of all are met in a manner commensurate with the funds available for road and bridge work and maintenance.

The office of County Commissioner is an important one. The court is the business agency of the county. It passes upon many questions involving the interests of all the people. Mr. Markham, because of his business experience would be able to cope with the many problems facing a Commissioner and his many friends are certain of his qualifications in every respect.

In the coming weeks before election time, Mr. Markham plans to see each voter in the district to ask for their vote and support. If this is not possible, he takes this means of making a direct and personal appeal for your support. He pledges the people of the Precinct that he will so conduct the affairs of the office that they will never have cause to regret their confidence in electing him to this important office.

MRS. M. A. JACKSON FUNERAL WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Mahala Ann Jackson, 79, died at the family residence in Cameron at 6 p.m. Tuesday, January 15, 1946, following a long period of illness.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, January 16, 1946, at First Methodist church with Rev. K. R. Isbell, pastor, conducting and the Green Funeral Home directing arrangements. Interment was made in the Salem Cemetery.

Mrs. Jackson was a native of Tennessee and one of the pioneer settlers who came out to the frontier in Texas. She had been a resident of Milam county for many years and had made her home in Cameron for a long period of time.

Mrs. Jackson was born April 14, 1867 in Hickman county, Tennessee. At the time of her death she was 78 years and 9 months of age.

Surviving are six children as follows: Olepa Thornton, Jacksonville, Texas; Elaine Young, Cameron; Mrs. Hattie Carleton, Mrs. Susanna Wills, James H. Jackson and Pinkney L. Jackson, all of Cameron. Surviving also are two grand sons, Ernest Thornton, Jacksonville, Texas, and Rollan J. Carr, Victoria, Texas.

6 BILLION SPENDING SLASH IS PROPOSED

WASHINGTON. — President Truman greeted Congress at its reopening Monday with a proposal to slash more than \$6,000,000,000 from projected government spending in the current fiscal year.

As he whipped into shape a "state of the union" message to be sent to Capitol Hill Thursday, the Chief Executive recommended repeal of appropriations aggregating \$5,751,428,483. He also asked repeal of contract authorizations for the Maritime commission amounting to \$420,079,000 and the return to the treasury of \$346,890 from three corporations now being liquidated which were part of the office of inter-American affairs.

A White House statement said the actual reduction in the authority to obligate was \$5,021,887,483 because \$1,149,620,000 of the appropriations, while not needed this fiscal year, will liquidate contract authority still on the books.

The suggested economies, the White House asserted, are in addition to net rescissions aggregating \$50,345,409,169 approved by Congress near the close of the last session.

The last rescission bill (51.8 billion less duplication between cash and contract authority of \$1.5 billion) was vetoed by the President because of a legislative rider. The White House said, however, that its objectives were accomplished by a Presidential directive to the budget bureau placing the amount involved in reserve.

The biggest cuts proposed were \$1,420,576,472 for the War Department, and \$2,826,880,536 for the navy.

Miss Carrie Lee McIntosh of Dahlart is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McIntosh.

Mrs. Jim McGoldrick is critically ill in Cameron Hospital.

Henry Hlavacek transacted business in Cameron Tuesday.

NOTICE!

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January 17, 1946

W. L. GREEN OF TRACY DIED FRIDAY NIGHT

W. L. Green, 77, died at his home in Tracy at 10 p.m. Friday, January 11, 1946. He had been in declining health.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, January 13, 1946 from the Marek-Burns Funeral Home in Cameron where the body will remain until Sunday afternoon. Rev. K. R. Isbell, pastor of First Methodist Church, will conduct the services at Salem Methodist Church with interment in the Salem cemetery.

Survivors are: Mrs. W. L. Green, his widow and the following children: Ray Green, Roy Green, Mrs. F. M. Mullinax, all of Tracy; Mrs. P. L. Jackson, Ad Hall; and Mrs. J. E. Nabours of Abilene.

Miss Deria Matthews and Truett Bankston of Milano were united in Marriage at the home of Judge Jeff T. Kemp Wednesday night. The bride wore an aqua coat suit with a pink carnation corsage. The ring ceremony was witnessed by friends.

Thanks Firemen For Saving His Home

Thanks to the Cameron Fire Department and to Cameron firemen for their work in saving his home were expressed here late Wednesday by Vance Brock and his family.

The fire, late last week, gutted the home and destroyed a major portion of the household goods but the firemen saved the home.

Citizens have ever been grateful to the firemen for their work and Mr. and Mrs. Brock and family take this method of publicly expressing their thanks to them.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Shelley of New Orleans are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Powell of Ad Hall.

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WHO'S TO BLAME?

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ed. It was politically inviting at the time but the consequences have been bad. Now Mr. Truman is stressing the need of retaining price controls, rent controls, scarce-material controls and he is—it is to be hoped not too late—warning against a "drift and irresolution" of which his Administration has hardly been entirely free.

The Democratic Blame—Whom did the country elect to office in 1944? The Democratic Party wasn't it? It gave the Roosevelt-Truman ticket a majority of 50 in the House and a majority of 50 in the Senate—substantial working control of both houses. When President Truman tells the people that he has been unable to get a single piece of vital domestic legislation from Congress since last September, whom does he expect the voters to hold responsible? It wouldn't be unreasonable if they held the party elected to office responsible. When the President cites 14 specific measures tied up in committees of the Senate or House—measures including the full-employment bill, anti-strike legislation, minimum wage increase, and FEPA—whom does he expect the people to hold responsible? Whatever he expects, a lot of people are going to hold the party they elected to office responsible.

And this is a large part of Mr. Truman's difficulty. He lacks control of his party in Congress today, as President Roosevelt lacked control of his party prior to the war. The Democratic-New Deal Party is a divided

party and its Southern wing is in no more constant opposition to the President than many Republicans.

The Republican Blame—Momentarily, it is easy for the Republican minority to turn the responsibility for the long legislative stalemate upon the divided Democratic Party. Technically, it is up to the majority party to govern or disclose its inability to govern. But is the Republican attitude either constructive or politically intelligent? Is it enough to oppose the President for the sake of opposition? Can the Republicans ever win the confidence of the country on a record of negation? Aren't the Nation's problems too great, conditions too serious, to indulge in politics-as-usual?

The Political System's Blame—Part of the cause of the legislative impasse which is keeping the President's whole reconversion program on dry-ice is the constitutional division of powers between the executive and the legislature. Every four years a national party is elected in the wishful confidence that its Presidential nominee and its Congressional candidates are committed to a common program. When a President and his party in Congress split, the country has no recourse but to sit it out for two or three years.

We are in exactly such a state now. The legislative machinery is stalled at dead center. In the field of urgent domestic legislation, we are experiencing a period of non-government. It is for this reason that writers like Arthur Brock, David Lawrence, Rich-

ard L. Strout, and others have been suggesting that our political system itself should be reformed and that some form of parliamentary government should be adopted so that a Congressional stalemate over a vital issue could be resolved with reasonable promptness either by the threat of election or by an election itself.

As it now stands, there is no assurance that the present stalemate will be resolved before 1948. Three perilous years of non-government are entirely possible.

MAJ. ROBERT MAYFIELD VISITING IN CAMERON

Major Robert Mayfield, Chaplain, United States Army, is in Cameron to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mayfield.

Major Mayfield is one of five sons who saw service in the war. He has been an Honolulu in the Hawaiian Islands for 22 months where he served as Chaplain.

On a 15-day leave, he is to report to the 8th Service Command headquarters in Dallas for re-assignment. Maj. Mayfield hopes to be assigned to duty in El Paso.

Maj. Mayfield has applied for a commission in the regular army and if given the appointment will have a permanent rank of Major because of his age and length of service, almost five years.

Phone us the news item you have.

THWEATT CAFE SOLD TO ARLEGE AND THOMPSON

The Thweatt Cafe in the Moore building at the corner of North Central and West Main has been sold to Coy Arlege and Ray Thompson.

The new owners were in charge Monday and operating the cafe.

Ben Thweatt, who purchased the cafe shortly after the death of the late George T. Moore, plans to rest for a while until he recovers his health. He formerly operated the White Kitchen.

The cafe will be known as the Corner Cafe. Its plate lunch has become celebrated. A few improvements are planned.

Mr. Thompson recently purchased a hamburger stand in the middle of the block. This will be run by L. E. Thompson who recently came here from Freeport.

State Bank of Rockdale Holds Officer Election

ROCKDALE.—Officers and directors of Rockdale State bank reelected this week are: H. H. Camp, president; T. B. Ryan, active vice president; John T. Hale, cashier; Harold Luckey, assistant cashier; directors are, E. A. Camp, T. B. Ryan, H. H. Camp, W. E. Gaither, Dr. T. S. Barkley.

Deposits for the bank in 1945 totaled \$2,707,000, which has an increase of approximately \$700,000 over

1944. Total resources for the year soared to \$3,628,000, the previous year being \$2,828,000. In operation for thirty-nine years the bank has paid dividends in thirty-three of these years and has not missed declaring dividends since 1929. Records show that over 80,000 customers were waited on during 1945. A total of 3,614 loans have been made and 233,500 checks and deposits have been run through the banks business machines during the year, and over 100,000 out of town checks were handled in 1945.

Roney Wade has been ill at his home and away from school. His many friends trust he will soon be back in school.

E. Diekmann of Ban Arnold, was a business visitor in the city Friday. Mr. Diekmann is a reader of The Herald and sends the paper to four of his relatives in the immediate family. In all he pays for five copies of The Herald each year.

DOCK MARKHAM FOR COMMISSIONER HERE

W. W. (Dock) Markham is a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 2 for Milam county, and his formal announcement will appear in detail in The Herald, daily and weekly next week.

Mr. Markham was a candidate in 1944 and in the run-off primary election failed of the nomination by only a very few votes. Many who did not support him in the last primary have pledged their vote this time, he said, and his many friends were pointing out that his candidacy this year has been launched under most favorable circumstances.

In business here for many years, Mr. Markham is widely known and his experience will enable him to serve with a much needed application to the urgent needs of this precinct and the county at large.

ATTENTION POULTRY RAISERS

The Lester Grain Co. again brings to Cameron an Arrow Poultry Service Man. Mr. Joe Vanek, Poultry Service man with the Houston Milling Co. will be in Cameron MONDAY, JANUARY 14 through SATURDAY, JANUARY 19. Those wishing the advice as well as culling work, may have this service by contacting the Lester Grain Co. a few days in advance, as Mr. Vanek will be here only for the week.

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 Charlie E. Holland and Faye Mae Tucker.
 Peter C. Tidwell and Ida Pearl Cass.
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 R. J. Denson and Frances Young.
 J. B. Hanrick, Jr. and Ruth Alice Meadows.
 A. A. Buhle and Billie June Locklin.

Deaths

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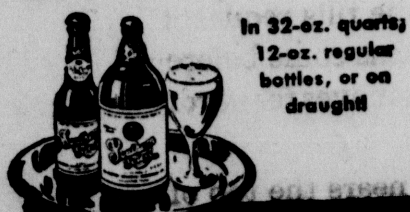
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Lieut. Morris Eplen And Edwina Lewis Are Married in McKinney

Lt. Morris Eplen of Cameron and Miss Edwina Lewis of McKinney, were married in the home of the bride there on Sunday, January 6, 1946 at 5 p.m.

Lt. Eplen and bride were classmates at North Texas Agricultural College before he became a flier in the United States Army Air Forces. Mrs. Eplen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ferry Lewis of McKinney and Lt. Eplen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eplen of Cameron.

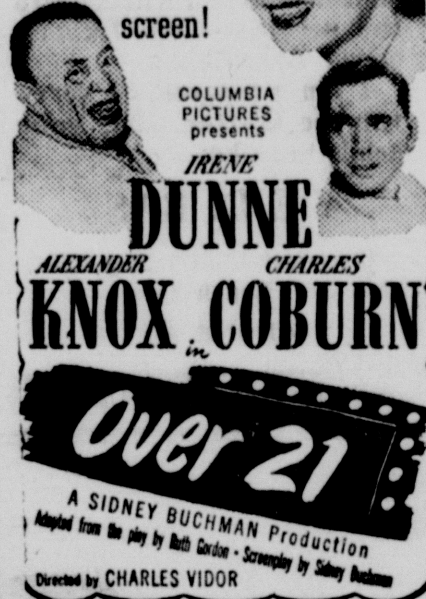
Lt. Eplen volunteered for the Army Air Corps and became a pilot. He served for many months at various bases in the Southwest. He was recently discharged from the service.

The wedding ceremony was an impressive home arrangement with Rev. Weaver, pastor of the First Christian church at McKinney, performing the ceremony.

Among those who attended the wedding from Cameron were: D. L. Lindsey, recently discharged from the service, as best man and long-time friend of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eplen, parents of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stafford, aunt and uncle of the groom; and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McCrory of Hubbard, also aunt and uncle of Lt. Eplen.

Following a reception held at the home of the bride in McKinney the couple left for Mexico City for a honeymoon trip. They expect to be away for some time and may make Cameron their home.

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 SUNDAY AND MONDAY
 JANUARY 20 and 21

YOEMEN DROP ONE BUT TAKE TWO HOOP GAMES

The Yoemen won two of their three games last week but dropped another to Caldwell by a close score of 15 to 13.

The Yoemen have twice beaten the Hornets in as many starts. In the game at Caldwell Tuesday night the Hornets won by a score of 15 to 13. Marek was high point man for Cameron with 9 and Shaw was high for Caldwell with 10.

The Yoemen pounced on the weak Calvert team and won 34 to 13 Wednesday night. Gerick turned in a good game and was high man with 19 points while Harte was high for Calvert with 6.

Gerick, who looked good at end in football for the Yoemen, turned in 17 points against Rockdale as the Yoemen won 27 to 21 Friday night. Allen was high man for Rockdale with 6 points.

The season basketball record thus far for the Yoemen is a win of 6



CAMERON THEATRE
 THURSDAY AND FRIDAY,
 JANUARY 17 and 18



THE CAMERON THEATRE
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games out of 8, scoring 213 points to their opponents' 159.

Here are the scoring records of the five leaders on the Yoemen team, the figure indicating the points: Alvin Gerick 94; Jimmy Marek 39; Gilis Graham 34; Lawrence Michalka 17; Russel Wallis 9.

Mrs. William Brown, of Little Rock, Ark., and mother, Mrs. Jeff T. Kemp, visited relatives in Waco Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Denson, of Chilton, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Denson.

Sam Hohenstein, who has been ill, is able to be about his business. Mr. Hohenstein has just been licensed by the state as a real estate dealer and also a royalty and lease dealer in oil development. He is a veteran and discovered the Minerva field along in 1920.

Mrs. J. H. Sapp has returned to her home after spending the Christmas holidays in Houston with her daughter, Mrs. Ted Epperson.

R. H. Muecek transacted business in Cameron Friday.



THE CAMERON THEATRE
 THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, JANUARY 24 and 25

Cameron Theatre

Thursday and Friday, January 17 and 18
"YOLANDA AND THE THIEF"

Fred Astaire — Lucille Bremer

Saturday, January 19
"MEXICANA"

Tito Guizar — Constance Moore

Sunday and Monday, January 20 and 21
"OVER 21"

Irene Dunne — Alexander Knox

Tuesday, January 22
"MAN ALIVE"
 Pat O'Brien — Ellen Drew

Wednesday, January 23
"THE SPIDER"
 Richard Conte — Faye Marlowe

Thursday and Friday, January 24 and 25
"KISS AND TELL"
 Shirley Temple — Robert Benchley

Saturday, January 26
"DON'T FENCE ME IN"
 Roy Rogers

Milam Theatre

Friday and Saturday, January 18 and 19
"BEYOND THE PECOS"

Rod Cameron

Sunday, January 20
"NORTHWEST MOUNTED POLICE"
 Gary Cooper — Paulette Goddard

No Session Needed For Soldier Voting Declares Governor

AUSTIN. — Gov. Coke Stevenson does not believe that returned service men and women who wish to take advantage of the constitutional amendment permitting them to vote without payment of the poll tax need to worry about the mechanics of so balloting.

"All a service man needs to do is to present to the election judge a certificate of discharge, or he may merely make an affidavit," Stevenson said.

"In most communities, especially the smaller ones, the service men are known, I can hardly conceive of an election judge refusing to permit one of these men to vote."

Stevenson was answering questions prompted by action of the Young Democratic State Executive committee, which voted to ask him to call a special session to consider setting up machinery under which the constitutional amendment on service men's votes could be put into effect.

I am satisfied that the amendment as adopted is sufficient to assure them their vote," Stevenson said.

"It might be that there would be some instances of service men voting more than once, merely on presentation of discharge certificates, but this would be flatly a violation of the law."

The governor said he did not feel that the soldier vote situation constituted the sort of emergency that

would prompt him to call a special session of the legislature.

Wilbur Crawford is Discharged From Navy

Wilbur Crawford of Houston, former resident here, has been discharged from the Naval service, having spent many months overseas with a unit of the famous Seabees.

He is the son of R. Crawford and a nephew of Tim Crawford and was born and reared in Cameron. He had served for 30 months and the major portion of the time was in the battle areas. His outfit followed closely the invasion forces into the Philippines. He also served in New Guinea.

Crawford graduated from Yoe High school in the class of 1928.

Mrs. J. C. Wallace of Minerva was a business visitor in Cameron recently.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Life" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 20.

The Golden Text is: "He that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting" (Galatians 6:8).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And this is life eternal, that they might know thee, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent" (John 17:3).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "This is life eternal," says Jesus,—is, not shall be; and then he defines everlasting life as a present knowledge of his Father and of himself,—the knowledge of Love, Truth, and Life" (page 410).

E. B. Darwin who is a patient in the Newton Memorial Hospital, is reported to be improving.

Emil Boedeker transacted business in Cameron Wednesday.

NEWS FROM MILANO

After the Christmas and New Year holidays are over Milano people are back at home and have settled down to work and business. The health of Milano is good for this time of the year with only a few cases of flu. Mrs. Dykes, Mrs. Mullins and Mrs. Morgan have been sick but are reported to be improving.

Mrs. Ida Howes has returned home from Houston and Bryan, where she spent the holidays with her children.

Mrs. Robert Henderson and children have returned to their home in Valasco after a two-week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thomas.

Mrs. Mollie Burns, after concluding a visit here with her sister, Mrs. Jim Baggett, has returned to her home in Houston.

Mrs. Dan Robinson and Mrs. Ida Howes attended an entertainment in Rockdale Thursday evening at the First Baptist church in honor of Mrs. Lewis Owens, the former Miss Hyacinth Holiday. A large crowd of her friends were present and all reported a very pleasant evening. Mrs. Owens received many useful and pretty gifts and in her sweet and charming way expressed her thanks to each an deveryone.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McGregor of Temple were recent guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ase McGregor.

Miss Gertrude Jones, who has recently been ill, is now able to resume her school teaching.

Mrs. Dan Robinson has returned to her home after a month's visit with her daughters, Mrs. Moore and Manley in Temple.

Mrs. Mary Peebles has returned home from Florida where she and Mrs. Timmons went before Christmas. Mrs. Timmons is still there but will arrive at home the last of January. Mrs. Peebles has for her guests her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Eggleston of California.

Nick Brennan, who has been in the service for the past two years, has received his discharge. He is at his home with his mother, Mrs. Bessie Brennan. He will enter A&M College on the first of February to resume his studies.

Plans Laid for Airways System to Cover Texas

The state aeronautics commission today laid plans for a system of Texas airways which within five years it hopes will include an airport in every community large enough to be incorporated.

The tentative system will network the state so as to place a landing strip within easy reach of a flyer anywhere in Texas and will be revised as towns accept or reject the commission's suggestions to build airports. The commission expects federal funds to finance half the cost of construction with communities in which airports are built supplying the remainder.

Indications were the present cold spell would continue and there was little indication at noon the rain had been spent.

Mrs. B. J. Baskin is ill at her home.

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Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation	1.00
Bank Building and Fixtures	10,001.00
Other Real Estate	12.00
CASH: In Vault and Bank Deposits	\$1,227,662.08
U. S. Bonds, Municipal Bonds and Warrants	4,711,274.22 5,938,936.30
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$6,663,678.61

RESOURCES:

Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus and Profits	158,798.41
DEPOSITS: U. S. Government	\$1,321,450.00
Other Deposits	5,083,430.20 6,404,880.20
TOTAL LIABILITIES:	\$6,663,678.61

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SKELTON

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combat soldiers at the front. That was a combat unit record, going into action within five days after landing. The front was 400 miles away when Cpl. Skelton's regiment landed in Marseilles. It was there the 7th army began the invasion of France shortly after the collapse of Italy and began the push up the Rhone Valley. Cpl. Skelton first took part in the battles of the Vosges mountains and he wears a battle star for that hard-won victory. After the Vosges mountains campaign they went to Alsace Lorraine and from there across the Rhine into Southern Germany. The crossing was made at Mannheim. Their first objective in Germany was the capture of Ludwigshafen. The 94th Division spearheaded the attack and the infantry division of which Cpl. Skelton was a member, attacked from a spread formation and cleared the town of the enemy. The 94th was a part of the army of General Patton. The 7th Army had fought its way to a juncture with Patton's Third.

Cpl. Skelton's first combat was on October 29, 1944 in the Vosges mountains. This campaign was made because of the terrain. The French were at Strasbourg. The 100th Division of the 7th Army of which Cpl. Skelton was a member, took up a flanking position and fought up the Rhine Valley. The Germans were trying desperately to stave off the Americans so they could destroy their bridges. This might have slowed the invasion and the Germans could have reorganized. The Americans were pushing hard. Cpl. Skelton said their next objective was Heilborn in South Central Germany. The 100th Division took that strong point after a 5-day battle.

"We had plenty of air support," said Cpl. Skelton. "It was a bad hour for us and I can imagine it must have been terrible for the Germans who were desperately defending the city. Our tanks went in at point blank range and blasted down the buildings and then we went in. The foot soldier always has to do the hardest job. We took hundreds of prisoners. It was a great relief when we took Heilborn for they had been pounding us with heavy artillery. We had gotten up the line where the Germans had their best equipment. The Germans were really desperate to get out of the city but our advance was rapid. We stormed it. The civilians, for the major part, were in cellars and underground ex-

cavations. There were many snipers in that town, most of them civilians. "The Germans were bitter. They hated us. I saw a woman walk up to an American soldier and hand him a grenade with the pin pulled out. She told him she was giving him a bottle of wine.

"Fighting by this time was letting up. All the violent battles were behind us and the Germans were slowly being beaten. Our next combat campaign was to fight our way to the French at Stuttgart. This took about four days as things were a bit more easy now. Stuttgart was a hot place. There were many liberated Poles and Russians there and they were fighting.

"At Stuttgart the atmosphere was electric. The Russians were fighting the Poles. There were many liberated prisoners, many of them Americans. There were a number of big hospitals in the area. The French were none too friendly and did not seem able to compose the situation so General

Eisenhower ordered the Frency army out. General DeGaulle countermanded the order and then we were ordered out by General Eisenhower.

"The Russian prisoners of war and slave laborers were delirious with happiness. They proceeded to get revenge. They beat up the prison camp heads and I feel sure many of them died."

The 100th Division is still at Stuttgart. Cpl. Skelton remained there 35 days. They organized a dance orchestra and were in great demand. Cpl. Skelton played in the Cameron band. Here Cpl. Skelton learned of his mother's illness. He knew she was dangerously ill in January of 1945 but could not get away until June 12 and went to Scotland. After seven days he flew to America aboard a C-54 and landed at LaGuardia Field in New York. He came to Fort Sam

Houston and then home. His mother.

Mrs. W. B. Skelton, died on June 13.

Cpl. Skelton married Miss Helen Nodler of Olean, N. Y., on July 22, 1945. He met her while he was stationed in that area before going overseas. They came out to Texas 12 days after their marriage and visited his father, W. B. Skelton, in Cameron and went on to Camp Bowie where they make their home.

Cpl. Skelton is going back to Baylor for his pre-law courses and hopes to get his law degree from the University later on.

Cpl. Skelton was never wounded and came through the hard fought battles in splendid health. He wears the battle stars of the Rhine Valley and Central Europe; the Combat Infantry badge, Good Conduct Medal, American Theatre and Victory Medal, the European and Middle Eastern

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Ribbons.

Cpl. Skelton served in two divisions that received the Unit Citation, the 3rd and 100 Divisions. They were cited for an assault on a hill in the battle for the Vosges and repelled several counter-attacks. It was bitter cold in those mountains. They suffered 13 thousand casualties. Cpl. Skelton is 21 years old.

Heber Derrell Tindall Y 2c, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Tindall, arrived at his home today, after spending 15 months of service in the Pacific Theatre of Operations. He has been granted a 30-day leave, after which he will report to Galveston for his new assignment.

NO PICKETING HERE

It's humiliating but true. There is no picketing at Southwestern Bell Telephone exchange in Cameron. Two reasons are advanced. We are too small to count and the phone office is so hard to get to nobody would think of going upstairs.

Coleman Duncum and H. B. Monroe, of the Duncum Motor Company of Cameron attended the Plymouth showing in San Antonio on Friday of this week.

There are 45 producing oil, gas, and distillate fields on the Texas side of the Rio Grande.

Phillip Reimer was a business visitor in Cameron recently.

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15,000 pounds of milk; hybrid corn; breeds of beef cattle, hogs and sheep capable of converting feed into meat and fiber economically and speedily. Research in the science of agriculture is a major national resource which has contributed largely to the high standard of American living.



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THE EDITOR'S COLUMN

Several times in this space, I have invited producers of agricultural products to come and see us. As a result of this, we have had quite a number of visitors. Conversations with these visitors have been very interesting and helpful to me and have brought out many of the ideas which producers have regarding the livestock and meat industry.

Some recent conversations indicated that quite a number of producers think that there are less than a hundred meat packers in the United States, in fact some thought there were as few as ten. This idea seems to come from the fact that many of them ship their livestock to only one market and are familiar only with the number of meat packing plants at that market. I am sure that it will interest all of you to know that there are more than 3,500 meat packers in the United States. In addition, there are upwards of 22,500 other commercial slaughterers.

The only way those 26,000 companies and people can make money in their business is to sell meat. And to sell meat they must buy livestock. So all over the country—from Portland, Oregon, to Portland, Maine, from the Rio Grande to the Canadian border—these competing livestock buyers are bidding against each other for the essential material of their businesses—the cattle, calves, hogs, and sheep produced by American farmers and ranchers. The buyers who get that livestock are the ones who bid the highest prices in their particular areas.

F. M. Simpson,

Agricultural Research Department

IT PAYS TO KEEP FARM ACCOUNTS

By E. C. YOUNG

Professor of Agricultural Economics
Purdue University

Profits are the final test of good farming. Farm accounts give the results of management in dollars and cents. Well kept records are a check on management. They serve as a basis for determining the success or failure of crop and livestock practices. Properly kept, they identify the profitable and unprofitable enterprises and suggest points at which improvements can be made.

Farm records are nothing more than an orderly classification of your financial experience. To be most valuable, they must be simple and they must be used.

Most state colleges furnish simplified account books which can be obtained through your county agent. Sometimes it is better to plan your own accounting system in an ordinary ledger. If all your cash income is deposited in the bank and all your outgo is paid by check, you can use the bank records of your deposits and checks as a basis for your accounts or as a check on your own records. Your records will be more valuable if you include an annual inventory along with your record of cash receipts and expenses.



E. C. Young

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A RECORD TO BEAT

Who will be America's Star Farmer of 1946? He'll have to be good to beat the record of Gordon Eichhorn of Marion County, Ohio, who won this top award of the Future Farmers of America at their 1945 National Convention last fall. A high school freshman in 1939 with one sow, two steers and 26 sheep, Gordon now has 60 hogs, 90 sheep, 1,500 chickens, land and equipment for a total net worth of more than \$8,300. He farms his own land, is partner with his dad on 186 acres, and rents from his neighbors 96 acres more on which he raises corn, alfalfa, small grains and clover.



TEXAS COTTON STILL IS KING OF THE SOIL

DALLAS.—Texas land planted in cotton in 1945 produced 56 per cent more value per acre, on the average, than acres planted in other crops, the Texas Cotton Production Committee estimated today.

Cotton and cottonseed produced on 6,000,000 acres are valued at \$237,103,000 in 1945, by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, or an average of \$38.85 per acre. This compares with an average crop value of \$24.85 per acre for 20,996,000 acres of Texas land devoted to other crops.

The Committee points out that this difference of \$14 per acre in favor of cotton was made during a season very unfavorable for the crop, and despite the fact that the 1945 lint yield in Texas was only 146 pounds per acre, or 103 pounds less than the United States average of 249.6 pounds per acre.

"By following practices that will increase acre yields and improve cotton quality, such as the seven-point program recommended by the Extension Service, Texas farmers in 1946 can greatly increase the acre value of their cotton and their net income," the Committee added. "No other state has a greater opportunity than Texas has for soil building, use of better planting seed, control of insects and diseases and other practices that will make cotton more productive and profitable."

"As a rule, high value crops should be planted on the best available land that is adapted to them, and these figures for 1945 clearly show that cotton deserves the best possible land and methods of production and harvesting. In addition to planting the larger acreage that has been set as a goal in 1946, it will pay cotton farmers to make extra efforts to increase the yield per acre."

Sgt. Owen D. Morris and Miss Lorraine B. Moore were married Saturday afternoon, January 12, at 3 p.m. with Judge Jeff T. Kemp reading the ring ceremony. Sgt. Morris has been in the Army 17 years, has had an honorable discharge but has re-enlisted and will remain in for three years longer. Mrs. Morris is from Temple and he has been at Camp Hood for some time. He will leave this week for Troy, New York for a short visit with his people before going to his assignment. She will make her home in Temple.

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TYSON

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the county has greatly exceeded its quotas in E Bonds and in other issues. Prior to the 6th War Loan of which he was county director, he served as Director of the Navy Relief drive and in this instance the county greatly exceeded its quota.

The City Council recently made Mr. Tyson audit purchaser for the city. This action was taken to cut off unnecessary expenditures and Mr. Tyson has handled the job in his customary efficient manner. Already the new system is operating well and has saved the public funds many hundreds of dollars with the prospect that within a year the savings will be large.

Mr. Tyson has kept his records efficiently and always receives commendations from the certified public accountants who audit the city's books each year.

During the years Mr. Tyson has been an official with the government, he has kept himself informed on municipal affairs and has given the

people the benefit in full of his growing knowledge and efficiency with the result that he has been able to render outstanding service

Mr. Tyson wants you to take this newspaper announcement as a direct and personal appeal for your vote and support in the City Democratic Primary election to be held on Tuesday, February 5, 1946.

Newton McDonald of Anson was a Cameron visitor Wednesday. He is a former resident of this city.

Miss Jessie Brown and James F. Doss were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Judge Jeff T. Kemp reading the ring ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Doss will make their home at Gay Hill, near Rockdale.

R. M. Kennedy, former sheriff, who has been in the west for his health, is shaking hands with old friends these days.

Phone your news items to 282.

Mrs. W. E. Gaither and sister, Mrs. James Watson, spent the week end in Moorville visiting relatives.

Sweetwater, Texas, gets its water supply from bitter creek.

Mrs. G. B. Taylor who has been suffering with a bad case of flu, is now much improved, and able to be up part time.

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